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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Applicant : Christophe Alain Thuriereau <i>et al.</i>	Art Unit : 1624
Serial No. : 10/771,725	Examiner : TUCKER, Zachary C.
Filed : February 4, 2004	
Title : IMIDAZOLYL DERIVATIVES	

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed April 27, 2006 (hereinafter the "instant Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as indicated below. The period for response has been extended three months so as to expire on October 27, 2006, pursuant to Applicants' Petition for Extension of Time filed concurrently with this Reply. The present amendments follow the revised amendment practice mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.121, effective July 30, 2003.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Claims pending in the application are listed on pages 5-15 of this paper.

Applicants' Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.

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